

Flip for tips to join the community of people taking action on climate change



Use Renewable Energy:

 In many states, it is cheaper to use solar energy than fossil fuels! Programs like <u>Google Project Sunroof</u> and <u>MCE</u> have helped San Francisco Bay Area communities install solar at an affordable price. Many <u>Community Choice</u> <u>Aggregation</u> programs are available around the country.

Skip a meat dish:

• The production of beef releases excess heat trapping gas. Skipping just one meat dish a week is the equivalent of driving over 1,100 miles less each year! Learn more about your carbon "food-print" <u>here</u>.

Carpool, bike, or walk:

• Transportation is the number one source of carbon emissions in the US. You can help eliminate 28% of the average American's carbon footprint just by carpooling, biking, or walking to school, work, and other activities.

Compost:

• When we dispose of food in a landfill, it releases methane, a heat trapping gas. Set up composting at your home or workplace and cut those emissions to zero!

Conserve Energy:

 Lowering your thermostat, using LED lightbulbs, unplugging appliances and electronic devices when not in use, or switching to energy efficient appliances (like Energy Star) are easy ways to conserve energy.

THANK YOU FOR BEING AN OCEAN HERO!

Write down the next action you will take to protect marine mammals and people from climate change below and share with friends:



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